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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

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Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27 Also attached: Petition for Extension of Time

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- 1. Transmittal
- 2. Petition for Extension of Time
- 3. Amendment Under 37 CFR 1.116

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